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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Pamela R. Lipson et al.

Application No.: 10/767,216

Filed: January 29, 2004

For: INFORMATION SEARCH AND
RETRIEVAL SYSTEM

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 2597

Examiner: Kim, Paul

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed July 17, 2006, Applicants elect to prosecute claims 1-5 (Group 1) without traverse.

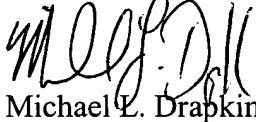
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